

BIG SANDY NEWS.

Aut inveniam viam, aut faciam.

VOL. XVIII, NO. 35.

LOUISA, LAWRENCE COUNTY, KENTUCKY, MAY 1, 1903.

M. F. CONLEY, Publisher.

MAY 14th

The Date on Which Our Premium Will be Given Away.

On May 14th, 1903, the News will make the award of the premium offered for the best article published in the paper for the month of May. The holder of the correct number will be notified in the issue of May 15th.

A number goes free with each dollar paid on subscription to the Big Sandy News up to May 14th. The holder of the correct number will have choice of a Solid Gold Gents' Watch, a Solid Gold Ladies' Watch, a Sewing Machine or an Organ.

Don't miss this opportunity. If you are not a subscriber send in a dollar at once. If you are a subscriber, the label on your paper shows the date to which you have paid, and you may pay as much more as you desire. A number is given with each dollar.

Honey of Eucalyptus and White Pine, best remedy known for coughs, 25c at A. M. Hughes'.

Hugged the Marshal.

"Coon" Moore, a resident of Elliott county, convulsed the entire Federal Court with laughter at Covington the other day by detailing how he arrested L. J. Cox, who was on trial for breaking into a bonded warehouse, and how he subsequently escaped from him.

The story as told by Moore on the witness stand is about as follows:

"I heard that there was a warrant for Cox's arrest for breaking into a warehouse. I had no other warrant for him and went to church where funeral services were being conducted over somebody they told me was his wife. I told him I wanted him, and he told me he would go along. He took hands all round, and when we left church I heard to be broke up. I went past his house and he asked me to come in so he could fix up some business matters. When we got in the house there was some company, and he asked me to take off the bracelets and he would play the fiddle. He had two mighty pretty daughters jinning around the room, and when supper time came all went to supper but us four. Cox was playing 'The Arkansas Traveller.' His two girls suddenly put their arms around my neck and Cox went out the back door, and that was the last I saw of him till I saw him in Court this afternoon."

THOMAS.

Our timber men are getting lots of timber to market on the high water.

Mrs. Laura Cline, who had been on a visit to friends in Indiana, was brought home dead last Wednesday. Her family knew nothing of her illness until they received the news of her death. She leaves a husband and five children to mourn their loss. They have our deepest sympathy.

Our merchants are getting in lots of goods while there is plenty of water.

M. A. Hatfield, of Wharncliffe, Va., visited his daughters, Mrs. Belle Blackburn and Mrs. Mary McCoy last week. Mrs. McCoy has been very sick but is able to be out again.

Hayes McCoy visited home folks Sunday. He was accompanied by W. N. McCoy and Abbie Simpson. Wade, little son of Thomas Blackburn, is very low with fever.

James Burdett has moved back to Johns creek. He has been living in West Virginia the past two years. Jim says there's no place like home.

The News does not reach us until Tuesday. How is this? We ought to get it on Saturday.

Ada Blackburn has been on the sick list.

Exposure to a sudden climatic change produces cold in the head and catarrh is apt to follow. Provided with Ely's Cream Balm you are armed against Nasal Catarrh. Price 50 cents at Druggists or Ely Brothers, 55 Warren Street, New York, will mail it. The Balm cures without pain, does not irritate or cause sneezing. It spreads itself over an irritated and angry surface relieving immediately the painful inflammation, cleanses and cures. Cream Balm quickly cures the cold.

Nasal CATARRH

In all its stages there should be cleanliness. Ely's Cream Balm cleanses, soothes and heals the diseased membrane. It neutralizes and drives away a cold in the head quickly.

Creosote Balm is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying—does not produce sneezing. Large Size, 50 cents at Druggists or by mail. Trial Size, 10 cents by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 55 Warren Street, New York.

WARNING NOTICE.

APRIL 18, 1903.

A notice to whom it may concern: My son Thomas Adams has left home. I hereby notify everybody that if they hire him I will law them to the bitter end.

L. T. ADAMS, Trad, Ky.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

APRIL 25.

Twenty-five Jews were killed and 275 wounded during a riot in Russia.

A "no-treating" saloon is to be opened on Upper Broadway, in New York, by men who share Bishop Potter's ideas regarding saloons.

The British have lost in killed ten officers and 180 men out of a total of 220 in an unsuccessful encounter with the Somalis in East Africa.

The Interstate Commerce Commission has decided that the proposed advance in rates for grain and grain products from New York to Chicago may not be made.

Lieut. Gov. Lee appeared before the St. Louis grand jury yesterday and told how a sum exceeding \$10,000 was distributed to hoodlums at the Levee Hotel after the defeat of the "Alum Bill."

The question of Lee's resignation is now in the hands of Attorney General Crow.

The Declaration of Independence will be placed in a dark vault, and henceforth hidden from public view. A committee from the American Academy of Sciences reported to Secretary Hay that the historic manuscript was fading and advised that it be kept in darkness.

The trustees of the Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute have received from Andrew Carnegie an endowment of \$500,000 in United States Steel Corporation bonds. Out of this suitable provision is to be made for the wants of Booker Washington and family during life.

President Roosevelt officiated at the laying of a cornerstone for the northern gate of Yellowstone Park and then started for Livingston, Mont., to resume his long tour of the West. He delivered an address at the corner stone laying, on the beauties of the reservation and expressed the belief that by cross breeding of the park buffalo and domestic cattle, animals capable of producing an elegant buffalo robe could be secured.

Brilliant charges, fist fights, riotous conduct and disorder generally prevailed in the Illinois Legislature yesterday because of the Chicago street railroad franchises, the issue being precipitated by the receiver's proceedings against the traction companies. The regular Speaker and Clerk were overthrown and another bill was substituted for the one pending. Finally a truce was agreed upon and the fight will be resumed today where it left off when the regular Speaker was overthrown.

Mrs. Henry E. Youtsey was called by the defense as a witness in the Jim Howard case at Frankfort yesterday. The Commonwealth's attorneys objected to her giving testimony and Judge Cantrill sustained the objection. She was asked several questions in regard to statements made to her by her husband after his incarceration in the State prison, but was not permitted to answer. On leaving the stand Mrs. Youtsey created something of a sensation in the court room by shaking hands with Jim Howard and his wife.

Investigation of alleged crookedness in the Post-office Department took a sensational turn yesterday when announcement was made that Mrs. Tyner, wife of James N. Tyner, Assistant Attorney General for the Post office Department, had visited his private office in the department and, with the assistance of an expert safe man, had opened the safe and taken away valuable papers. She refused to relinquish these on the demand of Postmaster General Payne, and the matter was placed in the hands of the Department of Justice. Tyner resigned some time ago to take effect May 1. He was yesterday summarily dismissed by Postmaster General Payne.

APRIL 27.

The Empress Dowager of China has appropriated about \$100,000 for the Chinese exhibit at the St. Louis World's Fair.

Fifteen thousand Philadelphia carpenters may be called out because their demand for fifty cents an hour has been refused.

Lieut. Gov. Lee, of Missouri, has sent his resignation to Gov. Dockery. He says his political downfall is due to his refusal to maintain a policy of silence and concealment.

CITY MOONSHINERS.

Illicit Distilling Done in the Heart of the Big Cities.

"The chief center of the moonshine whisky business today is not in the mountains of Kentucky or North Carolina, but right here in New York City," said a high official of the Government revenue service. "The persons engaged in it are largely Poles, who are the cleverest 'wildcaters' on earth, frequently defying the skill of our most expert detectives."

"Moonshiners find better concealment in this metropolis than anywhere else, and hundreds of them are constantly at work in Brooklyn and Jersey City, as well as in Manhattan. Most of them pursue their unlawful industry on a small scale, but the loss to Uncle Sam represented by their operations is in the aggregate great. They hide themselves in every imaginable kind of place, even in large buildings, where hundreds of respectable people are their fellow-tenants, and the means they adopt for disguising their practices are extraordinarily ingenious."

"The liquor-making plant is arranged, most commonly, on a method involving the utmost possible concentration. Sugar is the raw material used, because it can be packed in small compass—a pound of its yielding as much alcohol as twenty pounds of corn—and enough of it to supply a fairly productive still may be carried in a house without exciting notice. The product, incidentally to the distilling process, is run up far beyond 'proof,' which is 50 per cent. alcohol, so that it can be diluted after passing into other hands."

"The receptacle most frequently used for carrying the whiskey is a telescope satchel, which contains a rectangular can made to fit it exactly. There is no special reason for suspecting a man who walks out upon the street with such a bag in his hand; and, if he is a Pole, it is very difficult to 'spot' him. This particular variety of moonshiner is not only smart, but exceedingly cautious and patient; and he will often go around a block six times, turning repeatedly on his own track, in order to make sure that he is not followed."

"How, then, do our detectives manage to smell out the moonshiners who infest New York and its neighborhood? It is by imitating the patience of the Pole. Sometimes when our suspicions have been aroused we track a man for six months or more before we get him. The tricks we must learn are innumerable and now ones are constantly invented to puzzle us. For example, an elderly person of benevolent aspect is seen coming out of a house with a section of stovepipe over his shoulder. It looks innocent, but if we know our business we may suspect that the stovepipe contains a cylindrical can full of illicit whiskey."

"With a supply of sugar, the metropolitan wildcatter has only to add water and yeast, and his mash is ready. His apparatus is so compact that he can put it on the stove. When the process of distillation is finished he takes it apart and hides the dismembered fragments in convenient places. The liquor he conveys away from the premises and sells it to retail dealers, or sometimes directly to consumers, who buy the fiery poison at so much per drink."

"When I speak of 'smelling out' the moonshiners, I use the term advisedly, inasmuch as the most successful method adopted by the Government detectives for locating illicit stills in New York and other cities is by the nose. The distiller may succeed in concealing his plant and in selling his product safely, but he has not yet found any way of smothering the odor of the mash, which is peculiar and never to be mistaken. It used to be said of the famous revenue agent, P. B. Hawley, that he could scent a still as a bloodhound follows a warm trail through a swamp. Walking slowly along a street he would suddenly sniff the air, moisten his finger with his tongue and hold it up to see which way the wind was blowing. Then he would go in a back-line to the unlawful distillery."

A Little Early Riser now and then, at bedtime will cure constipation, biliousness and liver troubles. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the famous little pills that cure by arousing the secretions, moving the bowels gently, yet effectively, and giving such tone and strength to the glands of the stomach and liver that the cause of the trouble is removed entirely, and if their use is continued for a few days, there will be no return of the complaint. Sold by the Louisia Drug Co., Dr. J. D. Biggs, Mgr.

While the United States and also Great Britain and Japan, will protest strongly against the Russian acquisition of Manchuria, it is generally conceded that Manchuria is already lost to China, and it is feared that the next step will be an extension of the sphere of influence of Germany in Shantung and France in South China.

At Santa Fe, N. M., a mob of white farmers lynched an unknown negro youth for attempting to assault a ten-year-old white girl. After hanging their victim the farmers made a general onslaught on a colony of negro bridge builders who were living in tents. The tents were burned and the negroes were driven to the woods after several of them had been wounded by a fusillade of shots. This occurred in the north.

The papers abstracted from a safe in the Postoffice Department by Mrs. James N. Tyner and Mrs. Barrett were returned yesterday by the lawyers for Tyner, but Postmaster General Payne declined to accept the statement of the Tyners that the returned packages included all papers taken from the department. G. A. C. Christy, Acting Attorney General, was temporarily relieved pending an investigation of his connection with the case.

The testimony at the trial of Jim Howard, at Frankfort, was completed yesterday afternoon, and both sides closed their case. The jurors and the defendant were taken to the Capitol grounds, where they viewed the scene of the assassination. Argument began Monday morning, and it is expected to consume two days. Eighteen witnesses testified on the call of the Commonwealth at Saturday's session, and the defense introduced a few witnesses in rebuttal.

The X-Rays. Recent experiments, by practical tests and examination with the aid of the X-Rays, establish it as a fact that Catarrh of the Stomach is not a disease of itself, but that it results from repeated attacks of indigestion. "How Can I Cure My Indigestion?" Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is curing thousands. It will cure you of indigestion and dyspepsia, and prevent or cure Catarrh of the Stomach. What you eat—makes the stomach sweet. Sold by the Louisia Drug Co., Dr. J. D. Biggs, Mgr.

OSIE.

Dr. L. B. Dean was a pleasant visitor to Harvey Jobe, Jr., and family Sunday.

Nannie Jobe has returned from Busseyville.

Fred and Lindsay Jobe say they are soon to pick their pie-box and start for parts unknown (Yatesville).

Cannie Jobe and children will leave soon for Rend, W. Va., where her husband is employed.

There will be a pie-mite at Midway the 24 Saturday in May, at 2:30 o'clock. Everybody come and bring the rest of them.

Virge Largo has gone to Huntington, where she will visit W. Legg's family.

Twins.

What is Foley's Kidney Cure?

Answer: It is made from a prescription of a leading Chicago physician, and one of the most eminent in the country. The ingredients are the purest that money can buy, and are scientifically combined to give their utmost value. Sold by Louisia Drug Co.

Farm, Stock and Crop.

Twenty-one of the best hens in this country have sailed from San Francisco to engage in an egg-laying contest with Australian hens, which will continue for one year. Their expenses were paid by the Australian Government, which will buy the six best at \$25 apiece. The others will be sold there at public auction.

Total sales in Louisville market last week were 1,276 hds, against 5,114 hds. on corresponding week of last year. Total receipts (last week) 1,191 hds, against 2,800 hds. for corresponding week last year. Rejections last week were 187 hds, 17 per cent. of the auction sales, against 20 per cent. of the preceding week. Of the total sales 500 hds. were Burley and 686 were Dark tobacco.

J. T. Ruth one of Owen county's best farmers, reports that in March, 1902, he bought an Owen county farm for which he paid \$3,335, and last year, the tobacco he had grown on his farm brought him \$2,580.77, besides 125 barrels of corn, 140 dozen oats, and sold \$1,406 worth of lumber and wood from the place. There are 136 acres in the tract, and over a hundred acres of it is good tobacco land.—Owen News-Herald.

From a Cat Scratch on the arm, the worst sort of a burn, sore or boil, DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is a quick cure. In buying Witch Hazel Salve, be particular to get DeWitt's—this is the salve that heals without leaving a scar. A specific for blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles. Sold by the Louisia Drug Co., Dr. J. D. Biggs, Mgr.

Opinions differ as to which is the most dangerous, the liquid or solid punch.

A Lesson in Health.

Healthy kidneys filter the impurities from the blood, and unless they do this good health is impossible. Foley's Kidney Cure makes sound kidneys and will positively cure all forms of kidney and bladder disease. It strengthens the whole system. Sold by Louisia Drug Co.

Nowadays the ship of state is about the only one that ever carries pirates.

A Revelation.

If you will make inquiry it will be a revelation to you how many succumb to kidney or bladder troubles in one form or another. If the patient is not beyond medical aid, Foley's Kidney Cure will cure. It never disappoints. Sold by Louisia Drug Co.

In training children one of the first lessons should be to keep their heads inside the window.

Traveling is Dangerous.

Constant motion jars the kidneys which are kept in place in the body by delicate attachments. This is the reason that travelers, trainmen, street car men, teamsters and all who drive very much, suffer from kidney disease in some form. Foley's Kidney Cure strengthens the kidneys and cures all forms of kidney and bladder disease. Geo. E. Housan, locomotive engineer, Lima, O., writes, "Constant vibration of engine caused me a great deal of trouble with my kidneys, and I got no relief until I used Foley's Kidney Cure." Sold by Louisia Drug Co.

John Wanamaker, the wealthy merchant, says there is only one way to advertise and that is to hammer your name, your business, so constantly, so persistently, so thoroughly into people's heads that they would constantly turn their heads to your store.

Hauling Wanted.

Will let contract for hauling one hundred thousand feet of lumber from Cats Fork to Louisa and from Sand Branch to Louisa.

Jay H. Northrup.

ONE MINUTE

One Minute Cough Cure does not pass immediately into the stomach, but lingers in the throat, chest and lungs, producing the following results:

- (1) Relieves the cough.
- (2) Makes the breathing easy.
- (3) Cuts out the phlegm.
- (4) Draws out the inflammation.
- (5) Kills the germs (microbes) of disease.
- (6) Strengthens the mucous membrane.
- (7) Clears the head.
- (8) Relieves the feverish conditions.
- (9) Removes every cause of the cough and the strain on the lungs.
- (10) Embues the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood. Cures Croup and all Cough, Lung and Bronchial Affections.

COUGH CURE

Prepared by E. D. DeWITT & CO., CHICAGO

House Furnishings.

The springtime calls for something new to brighten the home and keep it in harmony with the new attire which nature dons at this season. New furniture and carpets are the most important among these acquisitions. Let us show you a desirable line. Carpets made up to fit your room.

Farmers. We can supply all your needs in the way of Implements, Tools, Machinery, Wagons and BUGGIES, and we guarantee the prices to be right, as well as the quality.

PAINTS: This is the season when you need Paints, and we are prepared to fill your orders for anything in this line.

SEEDS—Millet, Clover and Grass Seeds at lowest prices, quality considered.

TINWARE—We keep everything in Tinware, Granite, Etc.

BUILDERS' SUPPLIES—Lime, Cement, Doors, Sash, Glass, Nails, Lumber, Shingles, Etc. We can save you money.

From a Cat Scratch on the arm, the worst sort of a burn, sore or boil, DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is a quick cure. In buying Witch Hazel Salve, be particular to get DeWitt's—this is the salve that heals without leaving a scar. A specific for blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles. Sold by the Louisia Drug Co., Dr. J. D. Biggs, Mgr.

Opinions differ as to which is the most dangerous, the liquid or solid punch.

A Lesson in Health.

Healthy kidneys filter the impurities from the blood, and unless they do this good health is impossible. Foley's Kidney Cure makes sound kidneys and will positively cure all forms of kidney and bladder disease. It strengthens the whole system. Sold by Louisia Drug Co.

Nowadays the ship of state is about the only one that ever carries pirates.

A Revelation.

If you will make inquiry it will be a revelation to you how many succumb to kidney or bladder troubles in one form or another. If the patient is not beyond medical aid, Foley's Kidney Cure will cure. It never disappoints. Sold by Louisia Drug Co.

In training children one of the first lessons should be to keep their heads inside the window.

Traveling is Dangerous.

Constant motion jars the kidneys which are kept in place in the body by delicate attachments. This is the reason that travelers, trainmen, street car men, teamsters and all who drive very much, suffer from kidney disease in some form. Foley's Kidney Cure strengthens the kidneys and cures all forms of kidney and bladder disease. Geo. E. Housan, locomotive engineer, Lima, O., writes, "Constant vibration of engine caused me a great deal of trouble with my kidneys, and I got no relief until I used Foley's Kidney Cure." Sold by Louisia Drug Co.

John Wanamaker, the wealthy merchant, says there is only one way to advertise and that is to hammer your name, your business, so constantly, so persistently, so thoroughly into people's heads that they would constantly turn their heads to your store.

Hauling Wanted.

Will let contract for hauling one hundred thousand feet of lumber from Cats Fork to Louisa and from Sand Branch to Louisa.

Jay H. Northrup.

ONE MINUTE

One Minute Cough Cure does not pass immediately into the stomach, but lingers in the throat, chest and lungs, producing the following results:

- (1) Relieves the cough.
- (2) Makes the breathing easy.
- (3) Cuts out the phlegm.
- (4) Draws out the inflammation.
- (5) Kills the germs (microbes) of disease.
- (6) Strengthens the mucous membrane.
- (7) Clears the head.
- (8) Relieves the feverish conditions.
- (9) Removes every cause of the cough and the strain on the lungs.
- (10) Embues the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood. Cures Croup and all Cough, Lung and Bronchial Affections.

COUGH CURE

Prepared by E. D. DeWITT & CO., CHICAGO

Snyder Hardware Company,

WHOLESALE and RETAIL,

Louisa, Kentucky.

A Gasoline

OR

Gas Engine

Is the most economical and handy power known. Can be used by

Anyone in Any Place.

We make a specialty of 1, 2 and 4 Horse-power engines. Let us send you our Catalogue and full information.

BATES & EDMONS MOTOR CO.,

Box 3333, LANSING, MICH.

C. & O.

Chesapeake & Ohio R'y

KENTUCKY DIVISION.

BIG SANDY DISTRICT.

Westward. Stations. Eastward.

39 37

1055 00 Whitehouse 11 35 15

1 25 30 Richardson 11 05 00

1 50 30 Peach Orchard 10 54

1 55 30 Richardson 10 37 00

1 55 30 George Cr. 10 37 00

1 55 30 Kise 10 37 00

1 55 30 Gallop 10 37 00

1 55 30 Chapman 10 37 00

1 55 30 Torchlight 10 37 00

1 55 30 Tunnel Hill 10 37 00

1 55 30 Kise 10 37 00

1 55 30 Lookwood 10 37 00

1 55 30 Louisa 10 37 00

1 55 30 Potter 10 37 00

1 55 30 Fuller 10 37 00

1 55 30 Catalpa 10 37 00

1 55 30 Crumatt 10 37 00

1 55 30 Buchanan 10 37 00

1 55 30 Kavanagh 10 37 00

1 55 30 Burgess 10 37 00

1 55 30 Lockwood 10 37 00

1 55 30 Sav. Br'ch. 10 37 00

1 55 30 Hamp. June. 10 37 00

1 55 30 Cat. tisbury 10 37 00

1 55 30 Ashland 10 37 00

Trains 87 and 88 are local freight trains and do not carry passengers.

H. C. BOUGHTON, Superintendent.

S. J. JUSTICE, Agent, Louisa, Ky.

N & W Norfolk & Western.

Schedule in effect Sept. 28, 1902.

Pullman Buffet Sleepers between Columbus and Roanoke, and between Bluefield and Cincinnati without change.

Leave Kenova central time, West Bound.

No. 3, daily, 4:10 a.m.—arrives at Columbus 8:30 a.m. Pullman buffet car Roanoke to Columbus; arrive Cincinnati via Portsmouth 10:00 a.m. Pullman Sleepers to Cincinnati.

No. 33, 6:30 a.m.—daily except Sunday. Arrives Columbus 11:25 a.m. Parlor Car Kenova to Columbus.

3:10 p.m.—No. 11, daily except Sunday, arrives Columbus 7:45 p.m.; arrives Cincinnati 8:30 p.m. via Portsmouth & Cincinnati division. Parlor Car Kenova to Cincinnati.

Leave Kenova Central Time, East Bound.

12:30 a.m.—No. 4, daily, Norfolk express for Roanoke, Lynchburg, Richmond and Norfolk. Pullman sleepers Columbus to Roanoke without change.

5:10 a.m.—No. 2, daily, for Bluefield, Pocahontas, Roanoke, Lynchburg, and all intermediate stations.

W. B. BEVILL, General Passenger Agent, Roanoke, Va.

ALLEN HULL, Division Passenger Agent, Columbus, Ohio.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box of 25 cents.

House Furnishings.

The springtime calls for something new to brighten the home and keep it in harmony with the new attire which nature dons at this season. New furniture and carpets are the most important among these acquisitions. Let us show you a desirable line. Carpets made up to fit your room.

Farmers. We can supply all your needs in the way of Implements, Tools, Machinery, Wagons and BUGGIES, and we guarantee the prices to be right, as well as the quality.

BIG SANDY NEWS.

Entered at the postoffice at Louisville, Ky., as second-class matter.

Published Every Friday By
M. F. CONLEY,
Editor and Proprietor

OFFICE:—GUNNELL'S BLOCK,
Main Street, Louisville, Kentucky.

R. A. E. Leslie, of East Point, Ky., is manager for Johnson, Floyd, Pike, Knott, Magoffin and Martin counties.

TERMS:—One dollar per year, in advance.

Advertising rates furnished upon application.

FRIDAY, MAY 1, 1903.

Democratic Ticket.

For President in 1904:
JUDGE ALTON B. PARKER,
of New York.

For Circuit Judge:
S. G. KINNER.

For Commonwealths Attorney:
JOHN M. WAUGH.

Announcements.

We are authorized to announce
J. W. PERRY,
as a candidate for the Legislature, to represent the counties of Lawrence and Boyd, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce
J. S. THOMPSON,
as a candidate for Representative in the Legislature, from the district composed of Lawrence and Boyd counties, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce
JOHN B. SEE,
as a candidate for Circuit Clerk of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
WM. COIDLE
as a candidate for the office of Circuit Clerk of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
BERT SHANNON
as a candidate for the office of Circuit Clerk of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

The Paintsville Commercial evidently thinks the following is complimentary:
"Taylor does not fear any plans to kidnap him. It is well known that both Taylor and Finley always go prepared for such an emergency and that any effort to lay hands on them, except by due process of law, would be interesting."

John K. Hendrick has withdrawn from the race for the Democratic nomination for Governor, leaving Gov. Beckham without opposition. In a card to the public Mr. Hendrick said he believed that it was impossible for him to win, being unable to visit the majority of the counties, and he did not wish to do anything that might injure the party. He took the step after a conference with several of his leading supporters. The entrance fee of Mr. Hendrick will be returned to him and Gov. Beckham will put up \$2,500. Mr. Hendrick cancelled all of his engagements to speak, and notified the printer not to place his name on the ballots.

Cincinnati Markets.

CATTLE. Shippers \$4.50@5; butcher steers, good to choice \$4.65@5, common to fair \$3.75@4.50; heifers, good to choice \$4.50@4.90, common to fair \$3.25@4.40; cows, good to choice \$3.75@4.15, extra \$4.25@4.40, common to fair \$2.50@3.65; canners \$1.50@2.40; bulls, active and strong; bolognas \$3.65@4.10, fat bulls \$4.40@4.50; milk cows, good and strong; others slow and unchanged.

CALVES. Dull and lower; extra \$4.25, fair to good \$3.25@6, common and large \$4@5.75.

HOGS. Good to choice packers and butchers \$6.85@6.95, mixed packers \$6.50@6.85, stags \$4@5.25, common to choice heavy fat sows \$4.75@5.40, light sows \$6.55@6.65; pigs (110 lbs and less) \$5@6.50.

SHEEP. Steady; extra clipped \$4.50, good to choice \$4.10@4.50, common to fair \$3@4.4, wool sheep \$3@4.75.

STATE CANDIDATES.

List of Names That Will Appear on Ballots of Primary.

The following are the candidates who have paid to enter the democratic primary of May 9th:
For Governor—J. C. W. Beckham.

For Lieutenant Governor—W. P. Thorne, Abram Renick.

For Attorney General—N. B. Hays, Ira Julian, J. Millard Mitchell, Charles Carroll.

For Auditor—S. W. Hager, John B. Chennault.

For Treasurer—H. M. Bosworth, J. T. Griffith, G. W. Richardson.

For Secretary of State—H. V. McChesney.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction—J. J. Watkins, Thomas N. Arnold, C. E. Sugg, Ben Watt, J. H. Fuqua.

For Commissioner of Agriculture—Hubert Vreeland, T. T. Hedger, J. M. Frazee.

For Clerk of Court of Appeals—R. L. Greene, J. Morgan Chinn.

PEACH ORCHARD.

Wm. Quisenberry seems about the same as at our last writing.

Dr. A. S. Weiler is here doing dental work.

Peach Orchard Sunday School will give an entertainment and pie supper Friday night, May 1st. Everybody in and about the place is invited to attend.

There is some talk of The Peach Orchard Coal Co. opening new mines and making improvements within the next year.

Mr. Joseph Pomerville, of Stillwater, Minn., after having spent over \$2,000 with the best doctors for stomach trouble, without relief, was advised by his druggist, Mr. Alex. Richard, to try a box of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. He did so, and is a well man today. If troubled with indigestion, bad taste in the mouth, lack of appetite or constipation, give these Tablets a trial, and you are certain to be more than pleased with the result. For sale at 25 cts. per box by A. M. Hughes.

ULYSSES.

T. G. Austin had excellent luck with his croquet at the month of Lost creek. He delivered them at Ironton without losing a tie.

Mart Borders has drifted his logs out of Georges creek.

S. F. Hannah is building a house for Jasper Chandler, which he will occupy soon.

Ed Boyd sold Ross Daniel a fine 2-year old mule.

S. B. Davis sold Stambaugh a nice lot of cattle.

Harrison Grim is repairing aunt Allie Dehord's grist mill.

Miss Georgie Brown is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Charlie Preston, at Egypt, W. Va.

A Sunday school has been organized at Walnut Grove, L. H. Borders superintendent, and Rev. L. F. Smith teacher.

Attendance large. Interest good. Rev. G. H. Young, former supt., who came back from Kanawha for a short visit, took his place as teacher Sunday All glad to see him.

Rev. H. W. Kapez is home from Glen Jean, W. Va.

Asberry Johnson, John Castle and Isaac Chandler are back from Kanawha again.

Mart Borders and brother have sold their saw and grist mill to George Bevins.

Mr. Daniels and family have moved here from Pineville.

Henry Bowen is peeling a nice lot of tan bark on the Wm. Johnson branch.

Too Great a Risk.

In almost every neighborhood someone has died from an attack of colic or cholera morbus, often before medicine could be procured, or a physician summoned. A reliable remedy for these diseases should be kept at hand. The risk is too great for anyone to take.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has undoubtedly saved the lives of more people and relieved more pain and suffering than any other medicine in use. It can always be depended upon. For sale by A. M. Hughes.

MADGE

Farmers are busy plowing and planting corn.

J. A. Hutchison has returned home from a brief visit with relatives in Catlettsburg.

Mrs. Elizabeth F. Roberts, who has been in poor health for some time, is no better.

Mont Pickler was here buying hogs Monday.

John Frazier has been suffering with a growth on his eye.

Mrs. F. R. Bussey, of Busseyville, was here last week.

Barwell Derfield, of Osie, visited Geo. Hays and wife recently.

Little W. G. Wellman has been very sick.

Sunday school has been organized here. We have bright prospects for a good school at Pleasant Ridge. Everybody is cordially invited to come out and help us.

Hiram Layne, of Lick creek, was here recently.

Will Diamond and Miss Rosa Roberts passed here recently.

Miss Ella Hutchison is suffering with a severe cold.

Miss Rosa Lemaster, of smokey Valley visited here recently.

Miss Myrtle Pigz, who has been attending school at Louisa, visited home folks last week.

Thelma.

To Sunday Schools and Churches.

The Sunday Schools and churches of Lawrence: I desire to say that the Executive Committee of the County Sunday School Association at its last meeting inaugurated a plan by which it hopes to reach and help every school in the county. The plan is for a systematic campaign of the county by Magisterial District. One or more field workers have been appointed for each district to assist the officers of the district association in visiting schools, collecting reports, and holding rallies and conventions.

In 1902 there were enrolled in the Sunday schools of this county 2481 pupils. 10 per cent of this number was adults. The public school census for the same year shows more than 7000 pupil children in the county. Make the deductions yourself. More than 5000 or 71 per cent. of our boys and girls received little or no Bible training last year. The object of the Sunday School Association is to carry the open Bible in the hands of a living teacher to every one of them. To this end we ask the co-operation of all denominations, churches, pastors, laymen and laywomen in the county.

At the close of this campaign, and after all the district conventions are over, we are planning to hold at Louisa on August 13, 14, 15, the County Convention which we hope to make the grandest religious convention ever held in the mountains of Kentucky. I shall ask the editor of the News for space to say more about this convention later.

W. J. VAUGHAN, sec.

Madge, Ky.

A Farmer Straightened Out.

"A man living on a farm near here came in a short time ago completely doubled up with rheumatism. I handed him a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and told him to use it freely and if not satisfied after using it he need not pay a cent for it," says C. P. Rayler, of Patten Mills, N. Y. "A few days later he walked into the store as straight as a string and handed me a dollar saying, 'give me another bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I want it in the house all the time for it cured me.'" For sale by A. M. Hughes.

HICKSVILLE.

Mrs. Sarah Holbrooks is on the sick list.

Willie Arrington attended the burial of little Willie Sturgill.

Henry Hicks, who got seriously hurt by a wagon turning over with him, is slowly improving.

Miss Ida and Missorri Pennington, of Denton, were visiting their sister, Mrs. Sarah Holbrooks, Saturday and Sunday.

Aunt Lizzie Jobe, of Osie, was visiting her brother Henry Hicks last week.

M. F. Brown and wife visited on Ab creek last week.

Mrs. W. M. Watson and Mrs. John Holbrook were visiting their sister on Bell's creek Sunday.

Mason Johnson and Ned Hicks will raise a large tobacco crop this year.

"Grandma" Arrington will visit her daughter in Johnson county soon.

Lono Watson and Harry Arrington were at Frank Thompson's Sunday.

George and Tom Hayes left for Rent. W. Va. this week.

Miss Bertha Johns is visiting her aunt Eliza Cavanaugh at Overda.

Misses Zella Watson, Isabel Hicks and Belvie Arrington attended Sunday School at Brunner.

Mrs. Henry Hicks was visiting Mrs. Jane Hicks Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Zella Watson bought a new organ last week.

Let us hear from Frazier.

Three Friends.

ZELDA.

We are sorry to say that Mrs. M. E. Lambert, who has been sick, is not any better.

Willie Stedheim returned last week after an absence of several months.

D. H. Lakin and Dave Snow have gone up Tug to do business for the S. L. C. Co.

Miss Minnie Layne returned Monday from a visit in Louisa.

Mrs. Theo. Johnson, who has been sick, is better.

W. A. Bradley, who recently returned from Dayton, went to Ashland Saturday.

Herman Lakin went to Catlettsburg Saturday.

Mrs. Tilden Pancake returned home Friday after a visit to parents at the jail.

John Billups passed here Saturday enroute to John Burke's.

Allen Turman called on Eliza Mead Sunday.

Ira Maxwell and wife are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Fred Caines, at this place.

Eliza Meade visited in Ashland and Ceredo last week.

Vicie Hewlett contemplates a trip to Newcomb soon.

There is some talk of a nice time to be had at the Buchanan Cemetery on the 30th day of May.

Let us hear from Blue Eyes and Easter Flower.

Success to the News. Vesta.

FOR SALE:—3 horse power engine and 5-horse boiler, cheap. Have just been put into first class condition. Apply to James Compton, Buysyville.

VESSIE.

Sunday school has been organized at Trinity with Walter Miller as superintendent. He is a great worker in the school and with such a man at the helm there is no reason why we shouldn't have a first class school and not go into winter quarters in the middle of the summer.

Mrs. Alice Mays, of Georgel, Va., has been visiting relatives here for the past week.

Mrs. Samantha Shortridge has about regained her health and is now able to go about.

Wm. Howell and wife are the happy recipients of a big boy.

V. B. Shortridge certainly believes in a close proximity of road and creek. He is building a road on little East Fork below his house on the creek brink with a view to putting his fence in the road.

Mrs. Emery McKinnie has been very sick, and is reported to be dangerously ill at this writing.

It is reported that the infant child of Emery McKinnie died Sunday.

Mrs. Tivis and daughter, Miss Lee, were here last Sunday, guests of Lizzie Cunningham.

Vote.

Subscribe now and get a number on the handsome premiums to be given away.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Apperson Lodge, No. 195, F. & A. M.

Whereas, it has pleased the Grand Master on high to take from us our much beloved brother, Wm. Waldeck, on April 21st, 1903, at 3 o'clock a. m., at an unexpected moment, be it

Resolved, First, That, in the death of brother Waldeck, Apperson Lodge has lost one of its best and most devoted members, this community a valuable citizen, the church a zealous worker and devoted christian. He became a Mason in Apperson Lodge, No. 195, Feb. 12, 1887. As his co-laborers, realize our broken ranks, his vacant chair, his hushed voice, and our Lodge realizes the loss of a true and faithful Mason, and that his dear wife has been deprived of her earthly companion, his children of the protection and loving council of a fond father.

Second, That, Apperson Lodge, No. 195, F. & A. M., be draped in mourning and that the brethren wear the usual badge of mourning 30 days.

Third, That we as free and accepted Masons extend to the widow, children, brothers and sisters of our deceased brother our heartfelt sympathy.

Fourth, That, these resolutions be spread on our record, and a copy be furnished to the bereft family and a copy sent to the Big Sandy News for publication.

Fraternally submitted,
T. J. SNYDER }
ROBT. DIXON } Com.
JAS. Q. LACKEY }

Political log rolling merely develops the muscles of the tongue.

GREATLY ALARMED

By a Persistent Cough, but Permanently Cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Mr. H. P. Burbage, a student at law, in Greenville, S. C., had been troubled for four or five years with a continuous cough which he says, "greatly alarmed me, causing me to fear that I was in the first stage of consumption." Mr. Burbage, having seen Chamberlain's Cough Remedy advertised, concluded to try it. Now read what he says of it: "I soon felt a remarkable change and after using two bottles of the twenty-five cent size was permanently cured." Sold by A. M. Hughes.

The burdens imposed by friendship keep many shoulders round.

EAST POINT.

Married, recently, at the home of the bride, Mrs. Milam to Mr. Mooney. We wish them happiness.

Greenville Sturgill, one of Paintsville's most promising young men, is here buying timber for the railroad.

Ben Conley has just returned from a business trip to Pike county.

Prof. Talbert was here Monday. He expects to teach for eight weeks at Eden, and then at Martha's, Lawrence county, in the fall. Mr. Talbert is an industrious upright educator.

W. I. Mayo, of Paintsville, was here Monday.

O. J. Conley contemplates a business trip to Pikeville soon. He expects to take charge of a surveying party about the first of May.

Some of the brethren have been drunk and flourishing "hoss pistol." They got off pretty easy, and now come the boys who were fined to the extent of the law when the administration was in its virtuous youth, and give all kinds of explanations. One says, "Oh! the election." Another cries, "Masonic Lodge." Verily, the Judge is belabored like the poor newspaper man. It is hard to please the fellow whose errors have brought him up against a hard proposition. As to our roads, there is pretty good sentiment here. We hope our county court will give us overseers who are not too thick with "the boys." Mr. Judge, what about the railroad boys? Are they subject to service? Does a boarder here on temporary business have to work?

Greenup Ky., April 25.—Alexander Fultz, a prominent farmer of Coal Branch, has just received the sad intelligence of the death by drowning of his two daughters, Misses Maggie and Mary Fultz, near Kalkaska, Mich. They were out in a boat fishing when it upset and they were drowned before any one could reach them. They left home just three weeks ago to obtain employment in the lumber camps. Their bodies will be brought home for burial. This is

Greenup Ky., April 25.—Alexander Fultz, a prominent farmer of Coal Branch, has just received the sad intelligence of the death by drowning of his two daughters, Misses Maggie and Mary Fultz, near Kalkaska, Mich. They were out in a boat fishing when it upset and they were drowned before any one could reach them. They left home just three weeks ago to obtain employment in the lumber camps. Their bodies will be brought home for burial. This is

Greenup Ky., April 25.—Alexander Fultz, a prominent farmer of Coal Branch, has just received the sad intelligence of the death by drowning of his two daughters, Misses Maggie and Mary Fultz, near Kalkaska, Mich. They were out in a boat fishing when it upset and they were drowned before any one could reach them. They left home just three weeks ago to obtain employment in the lumber camps. Their bodies will be brought home for burial. This is

Greenup Ky., April 25.—Alexander Fultz, a prominent farmer of Coal Branch, has just received the sad intelligence of the death by drowning of his two daughters, Misses Maggie and Mary Fultz, near Kalkaska, Mich. They were out in a boat fishing when it upset and they were drowned before any one could reach them. They left home just three weeks ago to obtain employment in the lumber camps. Their bodies will be brought home for burial. This is

Greenup Ky., April 25.—Alexander Fultz, a prominent farmer of Coal Branch, has just received the sad intelligence of the death by drowning of his two daughters, Misses Maggie and Mary Fultz, near Kalkaska, Mich. They were out in a boat fishing when it upset and they were drowned before any one could reach them. They left home just three weeks ago to obtain employment in the lumber camps. Their bodies will be brought home for burial. This is

Greenup Ky., April 25.—Alexander Fultz, a prominent farmer of Coal Branch, has just received the sad intelligence of the death by drowning of his two daughters, Misses Maggie and Mary Fultz, near Kalkaska, Mich. They were out in a boat fishing when it upset and they were drowned before any one could reach them. They left home just three weeks ago to obtain employment in the lumber camps. Their bodies will be brought home for burial. This is

Greenup Ky., April 25.—Alexander Fultz, a prominent farmer of Coal Branch, has just received the sad intelligence of the death by drowning of his two daughters, Misses Maggie and Mary Fultz, near Kalkaska, Mich. They were out in a boat fishing when it upset and they were drowned before any one could reach them. They left home just three weeks ago to obtain employment in the lumber camps. Their bodies will be brought home for burial. This is

OUR NEIGHBORS.

Cecil McClintock, age 30, died at a Cincinnati hospital last Thursday.

Three daughters of Editor Rardin, of the Greenup Gazette, have eloped within the last five years.

Phil S. Fannin, Jr., has been appointed postmaster at Culbertson, Boyd county, vice P. S. Fannin, resigned.

In the Republican primary Saturday, Wat A. Davis, for fifteen years Circuit Court Clerk of Carter county, and in that office with his father thirty year preceding, was defeated for re-nomination by Elmer McGilone by 77 majority.

L. A. Ballouby is the architect for the handsome new school building to be erected at Prestonsburg. The school will be known as the Eastern Kentucky Normal and Prestonsburg College.—Ashland Independent.

Mrs. C. C. Freeman is in Dr. Bartram's hospital. She had to undergo a critical operation, but is getting along nicely. She will not be able to be out for several weeks.—Ashland Independent.

S. W. Patton, of Catlettsburg, has purchased the A. Borders tract of 2083 acres, in the upper part of Lawrence county, on Griffith's Creek. The purchase was made from S. N. Crowell.

Denton, Ky., Apr. 27.—The Alum City Oil Company shot their No. 1 well at a depth of 1,850 feet, and the well shows good for a 50 barrel producer of the best quality of green oil. This well being entirely a "wildcat," opens up a new field in Kentucky's producing area, as it is fifty miles this side of any previous development in the bath field.

More than one hundred sawmill outfits have been shipped into the Upper Big Sandy Valley during the past six months and a large number are yet at White House awaiting transportation. The boom that is now on the Valley has created a great demand for lumber, and lumber dealers cannot begin to supply the demand.—Paintsville Herald.

Irving Stacy, Jailer of Knott county, who has also been running a hotel and livery stable at Hindman, has disposed of his property and his place as Jailer for two years and eight months, to Dr. J. W. Duke. The latter will take charge of the Jail and other property May 1st. Stacy will probably move to a farm in the country.

West Liberty, Ky., April 22.—After drinking twelve bottles of Lightning Hot Drops and other extracts, Nelson Whitely, of North Fork, this county, died yesterday afternoon. He had been drinking the day before and had run out of a supply of whiskey. Yesterday morning before breakfast he drank twelve bottles of Lightning Hot Drops and other extracts. He ate a hearty breakfast, but died just after dinner.

Judge O'Rear, of the Kentucky Court of Appeals, has made an order re-instating the injunction recently dissolved by Judge Kinner in the celebrated case of Merritt vs. Ashland and Ironton bridge Co., etc., holding that the purchase of stock in the Ashland Bridge Companies by A. J. Johnson and others was with notice of Merritt's previous option, and that the payment by check on last day of option, and that the payment by check was not paid till the following day, was a legal payment.

Mrs. John Ekers, mother of Prof. Ekers, of Fallsburg, died a few days ago. All of her children were with her when she died. She admonished them to meet her in heaven. It was a sad and impressive time. It is hard to give up a mother. Rev. Cassidy conducted the burial service.

The Riffe and Clem Atkins have moved their saw mill from C. W. Jones' to Miller branch.

Our Sunday School at Green Valley is a success. Everybody seems to be taking an interest.

Prof. Willis is building a house for El Short.

Rev. Short is better.

Bennie Rice has had his house painted.

Rev. Scott and wife attended church at W. H. Jones' Saturday night.

W. M. Riley has turned his farming over to his son Limon.

Jay Shortridge is acting as postmaster and Miss Clara Harmon is visiting her parents.

Mr. Haws is moving Mr. Lyon to Denton. Nick.

GEORGES CREEK.

The Black Oak Lumber Co. will start its saw mill soon.

Harry Bond has moved in on front street. Tom Maynard moved into the Parks property. Moss Burton

BIG SANDY NEWS.

FRIDAY, MAY 1, 1903.

ADVERTISING IT.

"May I print ads on your life?" I said. And she nodded her sweet permission: So we went to press, and I rather guess we printed a full edition.

—London Tid-Bits.

"But one edition is hardly enough," she said, with a charming pout. So again in the press her form she placed.

And we got several extras out.

Fresh fruit constantly on hands at Robt. Burchett's.

Keep your children in school to the close of the term.

If you want fresh groceries you should buy from Robt. Burchett.

The Snyder Hardware Company has just received a large quantity of time, which is being sold cheap.

Golden opportunity in lace, embroidery, beading and ribbons at the Racket.

T. S. Thompson has moved into his residence on upper Madison street.

Low price record broken again. Zinc tubs and buckets and all kinds of hardware at the Racket.

Mrs. W. H. Waldeck will build a new residence on her lot on Lady Washington street.

Rousing bargain sales in glassware, crockery, granite, tinware at the Racket.

Victor Caperton and Miss Nannie Caines were married Tuesday night.

Chateaufort and wrist bags of the best quality are found at Conley's store.

Before you buy your shoes, children, ladies or gents, come and examine ours.

D. Brown & Co.

Ira Wellman went to Newport Monday to attend the annual meeting of the Kentucky Grand Lodge of the Junior Order.

Buy flour, bacon, sugar, coffee, groceries, dry goods, hats, shoes and clothing of the price offered.

G. V. Meek.

Our immense spring and summer stock is now arriving daily. Come and see if we can't please you.

D. Brown & Co.

If you need a typewriter buy an Oliver. It is the best machine made. You can get this machine Conley's Store.

Shirt waist sets in pearl, black, silver and gold, beads, wrist bags, hat pins, bar pins, all the latest styles just received at Conley's.

Prices and value had a falling out and you get the advantage on shirts, overalls, towels, sheets, notions, and fine pattern hats, at the Racket.

Harmon Lewis, formerly a resident of Louisville, died at Catlettsburg Tuesday from lockjaw, caused by running a nail in his foot.

When in Whitehouse go to The Hensley Hotel. Everything new and up to date. Meals 35c, lodging 50c.

C. E. Hensley, Prop. Dave Hall's old stand.

Soda water made with pure rock candy syrup and only the best ingredients is now on sale at Remmel's grocery store. Also, Coca-Cola.

Rev. Fred Shannon has returned to Pennsylvania and expects to sail for Europe within a short time. He will spend a year in the Holy Land.

Edgar Fitch has opened a nice line of confectioneries, cigars and tobacco next door to Wm. Justice's store. He is a deserving boy and should receive a good share of patronage.

It costs you nothing to look through our stock and it may save you a good deal of money to do so when you need clothing, gents furnishings, or shoes for men, women or children.

MOORE & JORDAN.

Our big stock of spring goods is now open. Look at the advertisements and prices quoted by other stores and we will sell you the same items they quote for 10 to 25 cents less on every dollar. Test it by seeing our goods before you buy.

G. V. Meek.

Mr. R. A. Stone, one of the best qualified candidates for Circuit Clerk, has withdrawn from the race before the primary election to be held in this county. The candidates now in the race may be learned from our list of announcements.

Men's suits \$2.50 in second hand goods, and from \$3.50 up in new goods. Ladies shoes, \$2c to \$3. Men's shoes, \$1.15 to \$3.50. All we ask is that you examine our line when in need of wearing apparel.

MOORE & JORDAN.

The posts for the new street lights have been purchased and are already due here. The lights will be erected as soon as they come. We are to have 25 instead of eight. One has already been placed at G. W. Gunnell's corner.

LIFE SENTENCE.

James Howard Gets Off Easy for Killing Gov. Goebel.

A telegram from Frankfort received just before we go to press, says the jury on the case of James Howard for assassinating Gov. Goebel returned a verdict of guilty, with a penalty of life imprisonment in the penitentiary.

The jury stood eleven to one at first in favor of the death penalty, but finally compromised on a life sentence. The general opinion was that Howard would be hung.

Ice cream is being served by Mrs. Robt. Burchett in the room adjoining Mr. Burchett's store.

Willard Mitchell spoke here Friday night in the interest of his candidacy for Attorney General, and made a number of votes for himself.

D. M. Ward is running a good restaurant and getting liberal patronage. Meals are furnished at all hours. He also dispenses soda water, mineral waters and soft drinks of all kinds.

John W. Akers has bought Jesse Meeks' farm adjoining his place and has moved into the house formerly occupied by Mr. Meek. The latter has built a new house on an adjoining tract.

Right Rev. Lewis W. Burton, Bishop of Lexington, will hold the services of the Episcopal Church and will preach in Old Fellows' Hall, Monday, May 11th, 7 p. m. Everyone is invited to come and hear the Bishop.

Mrs. James Fitzpatrick died just across the river on "the point" last Saturday. She was a daughter of Samuel Dameron, of Fort Gay. A daughter of the deceased is also very ill. On account of her serious condition she has not been informed of her mother's death. A number of relatives from Catlettsburg attended the funeral.

Prof. G. Milton Flam, whose announcement is found elsewhere in this issue of the paper, is the oldest and one of the most successful teachers in Lawrence county. He has taught 25 months in this county. He can number his pupils by the thousands. Prof. Flam would appreciate it very highly if his many pupils, patrons, and friends should elect him as the Lawrence county teacher who is entitled to a free trip to the St. Louis World's Fair.

GAS EXPLOSION.

Two Houses and Barns Destroyed by the Flames.

An accident attended with unusual circumstances occurred in the lower part of Fort Gay, just across the river from Louisville, last Wednesday morning. It resulted in slight injuries to three men, and the complete destruction of the residences of Jack Spears and Mont Frazier, together with their barns, and all the contents of the buildings.

A force of men employed by the N. & W. railroad were deepening the ditch in which the Triple State Gas Company's main line was laid, so that the railroad bed could be built over it. In handling the pipe a break occurred near one of these residences. The gas filled the house and ignited from a coal fire, exploding with a loud noise. The family escaped just before the explosion. The flames consumed the building in an inconceivably short time. The fire also spread to another cottage near by and two barns, completely destroying all. The roar of the escaping gas and the subsequent explosion and fire caused considerable excitement here.

The gate in the main on this side of the river was closed, but the fire continued for some time from the gas that came from the line below the break. The consumers in the cities down the river were without gas for some time on account of the break.

May 14th the date on which the premiums are to be given away.

Mr. G. P. Beavers and Miss Effie Frazier were married Wednesday at the residence of the bride's parents in Fort Gay, W. Va. The ceremony took place at noon. Rev. H. B. Hewlett officiated. Only a few friends and relatives were present. The couple came to Louisville and took the afternoon train for Welch, W. Va., where they will reside. They were accompanied as far as Catlettsburg by Miss Sadie Reynolds and Melbie Bromley and Mr. Gibson. The bride is the handsome and popular daughter of Dr. R. Frazier. The groom is a prominent young man of Welch, a member of one of the leading families of that section.

Who to Vote For.

I have heard so many questions asked as to whom we should vote for for State offices in the primary on May 9th, that I thought a few suggestions might not be out of place.

There are two candidates in whom mountain people should be interested sufficiently to cause them to turn out a full vote. These are N. B. Hayes for Attorney General, and Judge S. W. Hager for Auditor. Both are natives of the mountains, and gentlemen who would honor the State in any position. The mountains should do all within their power for their own people. Judge Hager has made a record as State Treasurer that would be a credit to any man. There is no State official at Frankfort who stands higher than William Hager. He has stood a crucial test there as a member of the State Board of Equalization, the most important body in the State. He and "Breck" Hill stood out on the side of the common people against enormous pressure from large corporations, including efforts at bribery. There are but three members of this board. The hardest fight in the primary is that being waged against Mr. Hager, and it is all the result of his manly and courageous action on that Board. The people owe him a debt that they should pay liberally.

W. P. Thorne, for Lieut. Gov., spoke at Louisville and made many votes. He is the best stump speaker in the State, was a candidate before the Music Hall convention, and will probably be nominated. His opponent is one of the most prominent of the younger politicians and was leader of the majority in the last Legislature. He is able and popular.

H. M. Bosworth, of Lexington, seems to be the choice of this section for Treasurer. He is qualified, a man of the highest integrity, and is generally remembered as the man who detected and arrested Celeb Powers as he was trying to escape to the wilds of southeast Kentucky, armed and disguised as a soldier, and carrying a pardon from Taylor in his pocket for the assassination of Goebel. He was then Sheriff of Fayette county.

J. M. Frazee, of Maysville, for Commissioner of Agriculture, and R. L. Greene, of Bracken county, for Clerk of the Court of Appeals, are both from this congressional district, and should be supported by Lawrence county.

Fallsburg, Ky.

This Insurance Does Insure.

It is said in the Good Book that he who does not provide for his household is worse than a heathen. This means provision for the future as well as for the past.

One of the best, cheapest and surest ways by which this provision for the future, providing for the family after you are gone, is to insure your life in a company of whose reliability and stability there can not be the slightest question. Where and what is the company which undoubtedly has these prime essentials? The answer comes almost before it is asked: The Mutual Life of New York. This tells name and place. And you don't want to get it confounded with any other "Life" or any other "Mutual." Don't let a smooth agent fool you with "something just as good." There isn't anything else just as good. And while Frank Yates, District Manager of the New York Mutual Life Assurance Company, is a persistent sort of chap he is not "smooth" in the offensive meaning of the word.

Here are a few significant facts about this grand company: It is the largest in the world. It is sixty years old—the oldest in the United States. Its income—not its capital, mind you—is seventy-four million dollars annually—over two hundred thousand dollars from sun to sun. These are facts, and facts are stubborn things.

One poor fellow, as he lay on his death bed, no doubt felt happy because in a lucky moment he let Frank Yates persuade him to take a policy in this, the best in the world. This was in June of last year. He had made one payment when the awful summons came—that summons which is so sure to come. He died. Now read what his grateful widow, the mother of four fatherless children, has to say:

LOUISA, KY., Apr. 17, 1903.

MR. F. H. YATES, LOUISA, KY.
DEAR SIR:—I hereby acknowledge receipt of check for \$1000.00 in full settlement of policy for said amount held by my late husband, Thomas L. Compton, in the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, of which you are District Manager. I wish to thank both you and your company for the promptness with which this policy has been settled and the courtesies shown me.

MARY B. COMPTON.

Kitchen Commissary Cases.

The Kitchen Commissary cases came up for trial in Circuit Court last Friday, and by agreement were taken out of the hands of a jury and tried by Judge Kinnor. He decided them in favor of the makers of the notes. Messrs. Burns and Shaanon will appeal the cases.

Now is the time to subscribe.

A LOUISA AUTHOR

Produced Important Work Just Published in New York and London.

John Wiley & Sons, of New York and London, the most prominent publishers of scientific and technical works in this country, have just placed upon the market a large book on "The Improvement of Rivers." The author is Mr. B. F. Thomas, of Louisville, United States Assistant Engineer. He was assisted in the preparation of the work (particularly in the calculations and drawings) by Mr. David A. Watt, now a U. S. Assistant Engineer, formerly stationed here, and Mr. Watt's name appears in the work along with Mr. Thomas'.

About four years ago this publishing house opened negotiations with Mr. Thomas for the production of a work of this kind. Their attention was especially drawn to Mr. Thomas by the publication of his most excellent article on "Movable Dams," which was printed just previous to that, by the American Society of Civil Engineers. It was this article that won the coveted Norman medal, an elaborate gold piece of special design awarded by this eminent society for the best paper produced during the year on any engineering subject.

Mr. Thomas finally agreed to undertake the task of preparing the work and has thus occupied most of his spare time since.

The general reader will be given better understanding of the importance of this work by the statement that this is the only book published in English that covers this branch of engineering, although there has been considerable demand for some years. Mr. Thomas himself has always been forced to depend upon French works for the information he has obtained from books. France uses movable dams very extensively; and the needle dam, now in successful operation at this place, is quite common in that country, while the Louisa dam is the only one of that type in America. The principle was obtained through French works, but Mr. Thomas and his associates have made important improvements on the French dam.

The following extracts from the publisher's note in the book will be of interest:

"This is the first work of its kind published in the English language, although engineers have long recognized the value it would be to the profession to have a treatise covering the principal features of that branch of engineering pertaining to the improvement of rivers. This branch comprises a great variety of works; locks and dams for canalization; dikes and jetties for concentrating and controlling streams and bank protection in regularization; levee building and storage reservoirs for the prevention of inundations, and dredging and snagging for keeping channels open during times of low water."

"This branch of engineering is virtually untaught in the engineering schools of this country, although it offers a most excellent field for young men of ability, and it is believed that the advent of this treatise will widen the scope of the usual engineering course and prepare students for entering the engineer service of the government through the junior engineer grade of the civil service. With this object in view hydrographic surveys and reports and examinations have been treated at some length."

The book contains nearly 500 quarto pages, including the plates. It sells for \$6.00 per copy.

The calculations are very full and thorough and the illustrations are excellent. Mr. Watt is specially adapted to this line of work. His scholarly attainments were also brought into good use during the final revision of the work.

Altogether, the book is a most creditable publication and stands as a monument to the attainments of Mr. Thomas, who is one of the best authorities in America on this branch of engineering.

PRIMARY ELECTION.

Something About the Affair that Comes Off Next Week.

The Democrats of Kentucky will hold their first primary election for the nomination of State officers on May 9th. In Lawrence, as well as a number of other counties, the nomination for Circuit Clerk will also be made at that time.

The election will be held under the strict provisions of the statute, which are similar to the laws governing regular elections. The voting is done by secret ballot. The names of all the candidates appear on the ballot, grouped under the headings of the various offices, respectively. The voter stamps an X in the square opposite the name of each man for whom he desires to vote. The polls open at 6 a. m. and close at 4 p. m. All legal Democratic voters and those who will be 21 years of age by the November election, 1903, may vote in this primary.

Every vote cast will count one in the general result, of course, no matter in what county it is cast.

Of Interest to All.

A question that everybody faces three times a day, if possible, is certainly one of interest. That's what we want to talk about. Housewives will find something interesting in every line.

We are making a driven choice of eatables, selling them at prices as low as inferior grades.

For a limited time only we will sell the famous Carquinez peaches at 17c per can. If you have never tried this grade you do not know what good peaches are.

Have you noticed those green beans in jars in our window? This is the superior Nectar brand, the best on the market. Cook and season them just as you do new beans, only not so long, and it is impossible to detect them from beans just from the vine. At this special sale the price is only 12c per can.

Nectar Beets 12c; Nectar Tomatoes, 10c; Nectar Green Lima Beans 12c—absolutely the highest grade. Pitted Red Preserved Cherries, the 30c kind, 22c during this sale.

WM. REMMLEE.

Errett Chapman and Miss Trinnie Arrington were married here Wednesday evening. Rev. L. M. Copley performed the ceremony. They left yesterday morning for North Dakota.

Subscribe now and get a number on the premiums.

Mrs. Wilson, wife of Dr. O. P. Wilson, of Wayne W. Va., was brought here by Dr. O'Rourke, and taken to Dr. Bartram's Hospital, and was operated on there for an abscess, Dr. P. C. Layne, of this city, and Dr. Lester Keller, of Ironton, performing the operation. Mrs. Wilson, who is a daughter of G. H. McClung, of Grayson, appears to be rallying nicely today from the effects of the operation.—Ashland Independent.

Wm. Hiltbruner Drowned.

The report published in the News last week to the effect that Wm. Hiltbruner was probably drowned has been confirmed as true. While no one saw him go overboard, there is no doubt that he fell off the steamer Theiska on Wednesday night of last week and was drowned. He boarded the boat in an intoxicated condition at Catlettsburg but could not be found when the boat reached Louisville. His brother Steve, of this place, has used all reasonable means to find the missing man, but has not yet succeeded. The last place he was seen was when the boat had reached Nigger Head.

ORDER OF ELECTION.

Lawrence County Court. April term, 1903. Smith Jobe, who was elected a Justice of the Peace in Magisterial district No. 8, for Lawrence county, having resigned his office, and the Governor having commissioned A. J. Webb to fill the vacancy until the next regular election in 1903, it is therefore ordered that a poll be opened at the November election, 1903, to fill said vacancy.

A copy attest:

ADD SKREENS, C. L. C. C.

Hotel for Sale.

The Brunswick Hotel is offered for sale. It has 30 good rooms, with gas in all for fuel and lights. Newly papered and painted, well furnished throughout. Good sample rooms, barber shop and store room. Most desirable location in town. Large lot. For price inquire of M. F. Conley or Mrs. L. T. McClure.

Excursion to Circus.

The C. & O. will make a rate of 75c from Louisville to Huntington and return, and \$1.00 from stations above here, on next Monday, when John Robinson's shows will exhibit there. The train will run on the regular schedule and a special will handle the people between Catlettsburg and Huntington.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

List of letters remaining unclaimed in this office April 30th, 1903:

Mr. Lewis Johnson.
Mr. Ed Tomson.
M. F. Ward.

A. M. HUGHES, P. M.

Nails and Wire.

Merchants of the surrounding country can save money by buying their nails and barbed or smooth wire, as well as almost anything else in the hardware line, of the Snyder Hardware Company, Louisville.

Bargains in Hardware.

Go to Snyder Hardware Company's store and look over their bargain table. Items for the kitchen, house and shop offered at astonishing prices.

Team and Wagon for Sale.

We have two good horses for sale, weighing 1150 pounds each. Also, a set of new harness and a good 2-horse wagon.

DIXON, MOORE & CO.

NOTICE.

One hundred men wanted at once, to work on railroad. Camps on W. M. Hewlett's farm.

Kinner & McCloskey.

CLOTHING!

As for our customers, we know we shall continue to sell them—but you—you who don't yet buy from us—you are the man whose business we seek, too.

Just the opportunity, no matter how small it may be, and we shall be prepared to submit goods of the right sort—and prices, too.

If we can't do what we promise, we don't deserve or want your business; if we can, it is to your interest to give it to us—Remember, we merely ask you to let us show you what we have, and then follow the dictates of your own judgment.

Where, except in a large city, can you find the line of men's pants that we show you for from \$2.50 to \$5—where the suit for less than \$12 to \$15 that we show you for \$10.

G. W. GUNNELL.

To Cure a Cold in One Day Cures Croup in Two Days.
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. *E. W. Gunnell*
Seven Million Boxes sold in past 12 months. This signature, *E. W. Gunnell* on every box, 25c.

Ashland Lumber Co.,
Ashland, Kentucky
Manufacturers, Wholesale and Retail Dealers in...
LUMBER,
LATH, SHINGLES, DOORS,
SASH AND BLINDS,
And all Builders' Supplies.
Inside Finish and Stair Work a Specialty. In fact, EVERYTHING required to complete a building. Bill Stuff and Long Timbers cut to order.

The Ashland Builders' Supply Co.,
Savage Bldg., - Ashland, Ky.
We handle Pressed Brick, Terra Cotta, Patent Plasters, Stone, Marble, Tile, Hot Air Furnaces, Tin and Composition Roofing, together with all classes of Building Material.
Prompt attention given enquiries by mail.

You will find an elegant line of Ladies' and Children's
HATS
now on display at
W. M. JUSTICE'S Store.
The supreme court of appeals of West Virginia on petition of the Forest Coal Company and perhaps fifty others, awarded a rule in prohibition against Hon. E. S. Doolittle judge of the Cabell circuit court; J. W. Hichman, commissioner of school lands of Logan county, and Henry C. King, of New York, returnable on the 28th of April, commanding them to show cause if any why Judge E. S. Doolittle should not be prohibited from hearing and determining the cause of the state of West Virginia against Henry C. King and others.

PERSONALS.
M. J. Webb, of Greenup, was a Louisville visitor over Sunday.
J. W. Woods, of Ashland, was here this week attending court.
O. P. Chatfield, superintendent of Peach Orchard mines, was here Wednesday.
Mrs. G. B. Gray and little daughters were guests of Mrs. D. C. Spencer this week.

THE ONLY PERFECT MACHINE MADE.
The writing is in plain view of the operator all the time—simplest and strongest construction, rapid action, easy touch—best for tabulating and invoice work—universal keyboard—removable type action—instantly cleaned.
Trebble the life of any other machine for good, clean work. Send for catalogue.
Pittsburg Writing Machine Co.,
208 Wood Street, Pittsburg, Penn.

